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Poultry Programs

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FROZEN COOKED DICED CHICKEN, INVITATION NO. 15, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-294

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen cooked diced chicken meat produced from fowl as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Nov. 21. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Nov. 25. Deliveries are to be made from Jan. 1 to Jan. 15, 2006.

Offers will be invited from approved suppliers for frozen cooked diced chicken meat, produced from ready-to-cook fowl (a class of mature female chickens), packed in four 10-pound (4.54 kg) packages to a net weight of 40 pounds (18.14 kg) in each shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,000 shipping containers totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <a href="https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?">https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?</a>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-294, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Cooked Diced Chicken dated April 2005, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-294, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY294 INVITATION : 015

COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 21 CHICKEN, DICED, FROZEN

PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR		QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/06 - 01/15/06					
001	ROCKY HILL	СТ	TRUCK C	NLY	40,000
002	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK C	NLY	40,000
003	PORT NEWARK	NJ			40,000
004	VINELAND	NJ			40,000
005	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK C	NLY	31,000
	FAIRBURN	GA	TRUCK C	NLY	9,000
006	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK C	NLY	40,000
007	CLEVELAND	GA	TRUCK C	NLY	25,000
	LOUISVILLE	TN	TRUCK C	NLY	15,000
800	CONYERS	GA	TRUCK C	NLY	14,000
	DOUGLASVILLE	GA	TRUCK C	NLY	26,000
009	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK C	NLY	40,000
010	EAST BERNSTADT	ΚY	TRUCK C	NLY	26,680
	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK C	NLY	13,320
011	EAST BERNSTADT	ΚY	TRUCK C	NLY	10,000
	LEXINGTON	ΚY	TRUCK C	NLY	20,000
	NASHVILLE	TN	TRUCK C	NLY	10,000
012	BATESVILLE	MS	TRUCK C	NLY	40,000
013	NEWPORT	MN			40,000
014	ALBUQUERQUE	NM			40,000
015	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK C	NLY	40,000
016	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK C	NLY	40,000
017	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK C	NLY	80,000
018	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK C	NLY	40,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE					760,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION					760,000

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